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Racy Reading of Cleverly Gleaned Paragraphs.

WORK BEGUN ON THE DEPOT

To Attend the Atlanta Exposition. Storm Doors. Shooting Sparrows. Disorderly Conduct. City Council, Police Commissioners.

Muntank Tribe of Red Men in-Stelled officers last night.

The steamer Fern left the yard

yesterday for League Island.
A large quantity of hogs were offored for sale in the market yester-

Capt. John Brady has succeeded in securing Peed on the Boston club

as a pitcher.
The City Council has considerable

work mapped out for their meeting Tuesday night. The Scabeard Air Line officials

will return this morning from their late tour of inspection.

The storm doors for the market

house have arrived, and will be put in position right away. Some of the churches will have

appropriate services in honor of Old Christmas to-morrow. Read the ad of a house for rent on

Chestnut street containing six rooms, and one on Glasgow street. Workmen have resumed work on workmen have resumed work on she Union depot again, and are pushing it ahead as fast as possible. There have been but two marriage licenses issued in the city this year, but they are being issued very fast

In the county.

Those who failed to re-register in

Those who failed to re-register in the yard yasterday were dropped, and their past standing will not amount to anything.

Old Dominion Conclave have decided on Wednesday, the 16th inst, as the time to have their banquet. Read add of C. W. Hudy's.

The Police Commissioners will bold their regular monthly meeting Monday night. They will investigate three charges against an officer.

A committee from the Medical

A committee from the Medical Association and a committee from the Council will have a meeting Monday night to discuss the hos pital question.

A party of young men have formed a club, and will have a sinking fund to raise sufficient funds to carry them to Atlanta next Fall to the Cotton Exposition.

Attention is called to ad of J. W. Oast & Bro., in which they an-nounce that they are selling the choicest pine and hardwood for \$10 quarter, delivered anywhere in

the city, Sarah Smith, colored, was before Saran Smith, colored, was before Justice Haynes yesterday for disorderly conduct and using indecent language on the street. She was made to pay a fine, in default com-

mitted to jail.
The excellent showing of the mortuary report for 1894 was discussed by the people yesterday. It gave great satisfaction and should be the means of a number of persons mak-

ing it their residence,
A small colored boy was before Sustice Haynes yesterday for shooting sparrows in the public streets with a gun on South street extended. One of the stray shots hit Constable Hodges. Owing to his age the Jus tice reprimanded him and made his parents pay the costs of the court. Capt. Kidd's Oyster Club on

Capt. Kidd's Oyster Club on Thursday night presented Mr. M. J. Mulvey with a silver cracker bowl. It had the names of the members of the club on it. The presentation was made by Mr. W. J. O'Connor in a past, little scanning. J. O'Connor in a near little speech. Mr. Mulvey, although taken by sur prise, found words to express his appreciation of the same.

trood's is wonderful. "Hool's Sarsaparilla has relieved me of he misery which I suffered from sick fields he he had been to the most wonderful me i ine that I have ever seen." W. W. Grama Affin Va. Greams, Afton, Va.

Hood's Pills cure all liver ille. Down they Go.

What? Why, the prices on any article in our store. Suits for old and young, stout or slim, it matters not. Everything reduced to prices that can't help but sell them. Cal at once and inspect them and we know you will buy. Levy & Jacobs, 200 High street.

C. B. Welton & Co. have removed to 332 and 334 High street, two doors above old place.

There is good reason for the popu larity of Chamberlain's Cough Romedy. Davis & Buzard, of West Montery, Clarion sounty, Pa., say: "It has cured people that our physicians could do nothing for, We persuaded them to try a bottle of Chamberiain's Cough Remedy and they now recommend it with the rest of us." 25 and 50 cent bottles for saic by all druggists.

Special for the couldays. Cooking sherry at 98c per gallon, L. J. Boole, 211 High street.

To-day, January 1st, 1895, we move our stock of boots and shoes to 219 High street, next to Crawford's furniture store. L. C. Long & Son.

Lamps, silk shades, wire frames, foll carriages, toilet sets, pictures, tables, rockers and everything else at Crawford's Furniture and Carpet Mouse.

In the Norfolk column.

per yesterday an article appearen, stating that policeman No. 10, from Portsmouth, was in that city drunk and had been arrested. The officer mentioned was Officer Wm. Warren.

Capt. King, of Norfolk, reported to Chief Tynan that the officer was visitup houses of ill fame and was noisy on the street, for which Officer Bass arrested him. He was released and came over home that night. No specific charge was entered against him. Yesterday Chief anorted the fact to the landed that, as the landed that l night. No specific charge was entered against him. Yesterday Chief Tyuan reported the fact to the Mayor, who concluded that, as the regular monthly meeting of the Commissioners would take place Monday night, he would allow the officer to remain on duty.

Officer Warren says that he was not drunk but that when he was crossing Church street a woman could be specified by the restor, and the "Character and Work of Holy Spirit."

Tuesday evening, at 7:30, in the crossing Church street a woman could be recovered.

not drunk but that when he was crossing Church street a woman asked him to get her son out of a house of ill repute, he told her that he was not a Norfolk policeman and while talking Officer Bass arrested him and carried him to the station house but did not prefer any charge against him. He says that he will be able to clear himself when the trial comes off.

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Died Away From Home.

Yesterday afternoon a young man named R. E. Newall, who lives on the corner of Second and Lincoln streets, was taken sick very sud-denly. Dr. V. G. Oulpepper was called in but could render no assistance, he having a severe attack of neuralgia of the heart, from which he died in about two hours. He was from Chester, Pa., and came here to work in the yard. He is about 30 years of age and unmarried. His parents reside in Chester and were communicated with. He was a Cor., xv, 18. communicated with. He was a member of a Tribe of Red Men in Chester. The remains were taken charge of by Montauk Tribe from this city, and will be forwarded to

No Meeting.

For want of a quorum there was no meeting of the School Board last night. Present: D A Williams, Wm D Ballentine, James C Proctor, L C Hall, E O Young and R D Hamilton, with the principal of the school. The Superintendent's report showed the following: Number of schools in operation: Second District, 11; Fourth, 8; Fifth, 1; Third, 8; total, 28; number of pupils on roll, 1,520; daily average attendance, 1,244.

Election of Officers. Knights of Dixie election and in-Anglits of Dixie election and installation of officers: O W Walker, commander; Walter E Virnelson, vice commander; Walter Bennett, juntor commander; T H Virnelson, chaplain; J F Weaver, treasurer; J Thomas Dunn, scribe; W L Hodger wildt; W Kallum, vice pilot; G ges, pilot; W Kellum, vice pilot; G W H Watts, picket; A A Bilisoly, surgeon; Williamson Smith, J F Weaver and E N Grant, trustees.

Barriage on County Street.

Mr. Frank P. Rose, of the U. S. Mr. Frank P. Rose, of the U. S. Navy, and Miss Mamie L. White, daughter of the late Bob White, were united in marriage Thursday night at the residence of Dr. A. E. Owen. After the ceremony had been performed they were driven to the residence of the bride's mother, on County Street, where a reception followed. followed.

Yesterday afterdoon a little boy named Robert Williams, who lives named Robert Williams, who lives on Race avenue, was knocked down by a wagon, and was run over and bruised quite badly. The wagon was driven by a colored man, whose horse became frightened at a pass-ing train. No bones were broken,

Sent to Jail for ten Days.

John Cross, colored, was sent to jail yesterday for stealing a pair of shoes from a man named Wilson. Cross went to Wilson's house and during his absence took the shoes and put them on.

A. J. PHILLIPS,

uary 5th. Fifty dozen children's black ribbed hose, full regalar made, regular price 12je, for Saturday, 7je. These goods are fast black and none better at 15c; sizes 6 to 8,

Boys' Windsor ties reduced from

25e to 17e. Infants' silk caps at half price. Men's, ladies' and gentlemen's red medicated shirts at less than cost. Remember these prices for this day only, Saturday, January 5th,

A. J. PHILLIPS,

Under Oxford Hall,

A Great Offer and Sacrifice. Commencing from December 29th we will sell the balance of our 29th we will sell the balance of our large stock of clothing and gents' furnishings at exactly cost PRICE. We do this in order to decrease our stock before taking inventory, Feb. ruary 1st, '95. This will be your chance to secure a good bargain. In con-equence of the greatly reduced prices that we are selling these goods they will be sold for CASH ONLY. Breslauer & Anthony, 114 High street.

Questions. Q.-Why are we in the shoe busi-

A.—To make money,
Q.—How do we make it?
A. — By offering at reasonable prices Shoes and Boots that fit the

feet, comfortable to wear, keep its shape, and give people full value for the money, Adolph Brandt, 213 High Street.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Jastoria.

and their Rulers."

Thursday evening, at 7:30, in Court Street Baptist Church; addresses by Dr. Carter and Rev. Kennard on "Foreign Missions."

Friday evening, at 7:30, in Court Street Presbyterian Church; addresses by Revs. W. H. Edwards and J. B. Funsten on the subject of "Home Missions."

Saturday evening, at 7:30 in

Saturday evening, at 7:30, in Wright Memorial Church; addresses by Drs. Carter and Owen on "Families and Schools." Serman Sunday, January 13th, I

MORE NEW SHIPS.

Committee to Recommend an Appropriation for that Purpose. By Southern Associated Press

WASHINGTON, January 4,-So far as can be learned the members of the House Committee on Naval Affairs are disposed to incorporate Allars are disposed to incorporate an appropriation for two (possibly three) new battleships and twelve torpedo boats in the Naval Appropriation bill, which will be reported to the House within a few days. The belief that the Treasury receipts will be considerably in exclose of the fiscal year, the certainty that not more than 15 per cent, of the amount appropriated will be needed for fifteen months from the present time, and the necessity for continuing the work of creating a more powerful navy, are considera-tions which lead the members to think that the country will approve an appropriation of \$8,000,000, or thereabouts, at this season for new ships. Such of the members of the committee as were spoken with regarding the matter to day expressed he belief that the economists of the House would fiercely antagonize the appropriation, but the expectation is that it will be permitted to remain in the bill.

Naval News.

Washington, January 4.—The old receiving ship Dale, assigned to the State of Maryland to be used by the naval militia, departed from her moorings in the Washington navy-yard this morning under the tow of the tub Britannia. The Dale ran aground soon after starting, but an hour's hard work was safely gotten off. She will reach Baltimore, bar-ring delays, some time to-night. Admiral Meade cabled orders to

Capt. Sumner, of the cruiser Columbia, at Jamaica, December 31st, ordering him to sail at once for home, and although no notice has been re ceived at the Navy Department that she has left Kingston, she is expected at Hampton Roads in a day or

two. An official order was issued this afternoon formally detailing Commamder Barber as naval attache American Legation at Tokio and he will leave for his new post of Under Oxford Hall---Saturday, January 5th.

daty by the steamer sailing from San Francisco on the 15th instant.

Half Freight Hutes.

By Southern Associated Press.

NEW YORK, January 4.—Owing to the damage to the orange crop by the recent cold snap, the Plant Railway system and its connection, the Ocean Steamship Company, in order to aid orange growers in realizing upon such portions of their crop as may be in a marketable condition, have agreed to make half rate on oranges between Florida rate on oranges be and Eastern ports.

No Christmes and New Year's table should be without a bottle of Dr Siegert's Angostura Litters, the world renowned appetizer of exquisite flavor. Beware appetizer of counterfeits.

Our Stock Must Be Sold In order to remodel our store. must have room for the carpenters to work. The large stock of cloth-ing must be sold. Our \$3.00 child's suits reduced to

Our \$5.00 suits reduced to \$2.50. Our \$12.00 men's suits reduced to

Our \$14.00 men's overcoats reduced to \$7.00. Our \$6,00 child's overcoats reduced to \$3,00. M. ROSENBAUM, 116 and 118 High St.

Go to Hammill's for Christmas Bargains. 320 High street.

\$5 buys 2,240 pounds best Lehigh Valley coal. J. M. Hatton & Co.

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No. 1 Pine, Oak and Ash Wood, | SPECIAL ATTENTION! \$1 per 1 cord, sawed and delivered.

SLAB WOOD. sawed and delivered, 75c per 1 cord J. W. OAST & BRO.. South Fnd Court street,

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-OR A-FINE WATCH

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We are still selling and putting in "GRAND DOMESTIO" and "SEXTON'S GRAND" FIRE PLACE HEATERS for \$40. WHITEHURST & HILEY.

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Ble FALL LISTEN NOTICE TO my patrons of something to their interest. I have the best stock of PINE and OAK WOOD in the city, all of which I am selling for \$1 per cuarter cord. Oak or line alike, mixed or straight; not any for less than \$1. if, b. WIKKINS. Phone 915. 1218 Washington street. SPECIAL PRICES ON DODGERS

AND HAND BILLS THIS WEEK,

WHITSON & BROS, 110 High street.

IN OLD NANSEMOND.

Notes and Gleanings From Suffolk

and Surroundings.

A bazaar will be held in the new armory for the benefit of the milita-

ry companies, beginning February lst.

Miss Nannie Hayden, of Smithfield, is visiting Dr. J. T. Kilby, her uncle.

Ex-Sheriff R. P. Bunting, of Nor-

folk county, was the guest of Mr. Ben Dumville, to whom he is related

Mr. Fred W. Hunter, Commis-

elty to the people of that section. Coming Marriage.—A license was yesterday issued for the marriage of Mr. John W. Beale and Miss Nellie E. Addison, daughter of Mr. J. W.

Addison, which event will be sol-emnized on January 9th. Both par-ties are residents of the county.

SUCCESSFUL HUNTERS, -A hunting

and sentenced to the State Penten-tiary during the year 1894 in Nan-

semond county. Here they are: Frank West, housebreaking, five

years; Stephen Clements, third con-

housebreaking, three yerrs; Henry Tynes, murder, fifteen years; Jim

lements, housebreaking two years; John White, alias John Whitehead

John White, alias John Whitehead Manning, five years; Hyatt Masou,

only one who is a native of this

county.

JURORS DRAWN.—The following

Robert C Daughtrey, Hugh K Rawles, Frank & Ellenor, Joshua B

Harrell, Frank Hurff, Solomon .

Sannders, Stephen Archer, R F Eley and James O Savage.

Petit Jurors-Frank N Ashburn, George T Atkins, Rufus L Barnes,

Henry Ashburn, Frederick W Grey,

Mathew Gardiner, Robert M Griffin, William H Holland, Eli B Johnson,

Darius King, Thomas A McClenney Ryland J Pierce Allen J Powell, Lovesay M Roberts, Samuel H Si-

mons, Algernon H Saunders, Henry T Taylor, John F Uzzeil, Thomas J

Saunders and James R Wright. The writ for the petit jurors says they shall be "remote from the place where the felony, of which Peter Williams stands accused, is charged

FAMOUS LECTURER. - Eli Perkins, the well known humorist, will on Friday evening, January 11,

Friday evening, January 11, lecture at the City Hall Theatre

for the benefit of Methodist Organ Fund Society. Subject: "Philosphy of Wit and Humor,"

This lecture, which has been delivered in many States of the Union,

has almost unanimously caused fav

to have been committed.'

folk

A beautiful line of Ladies' Fur Capes and Cloaks which we are now selling at reduced prices. Special value in Dress Goods, having reduced our 25 cent goods to be. Lovely line of Silks, in plain and lancy suitable for dress triumings. Double Face Cloaking for Children's Capes and Cloaks. Silk Finish Crepon in all the evening shades at 12 c. Laties' and Gents' Cotton and Wood Underwer. Hostery, Gloves, Handkerchiefs and Ladies' Balmorals. Come and be convinced.

T. O'CONNOR, 222 HIGH STREET.

FOR RENT-ONE HOUSE ON CHEST. In not street, 6 rooms, city water. One house on Glasgow street, between Co rt and Dinwiddic, 6 rooms. Apply to E. W. OWENS.

Special For To-day.

Fine Head Rice, 7c per pound, 4

pounds for 2 c.
One Found of Good Tea and Two
Pounds Sugar for 35c.
Good Roasted Rib Coffee 25c per pound.
If you want real good Bread use our
Suu Beam Flour. Every pound guaran-

C. W. 1! UDGINS & CO. 802 Crawford street.

WE WILL HAVE A LARGE CON-BIGNMENT OF CABBAGE FRIDAY,

whi h will be sold cheap on arrival. Send THE E. C. BROOKS CO., 111, 113 High Street. Portsmouth, Va.

went out to attend to a lamp as a crowd of colored men were passing, talking excitedly. He stopped and suddenly felt a terrible pain in the cavity of the eye and just above that organ, which caused him to haston to his residence on Smith avenue. When he arrived the wound was

bleeding profusely.

A physician examined it, but could not locate the ball. When removed later it proved to be a large sized buckshot. Mr. Taylor did not hear a report when the shot struck him and he thinks it must have been and he thinks it must have been propelled by an air gun. The wound is not deep and is not necessarily of a serious nature. No arrests have been made. The darkness at the time of the shooting prevented Mr. Taylor's recognition of any member of the party and he has no idea of

sioner of Revenue, who almost re-covered from a protracted iliness, is the guilty person's identity.

Town Council, -The Town Coun Town Council, - 108 fown Council held its monthly meeting last night with Mayor Brewer presiding and Messrs, Lloyd, Bell, Ely, Wood Nurney, MacLeary and Holl and again sick at his home near Somer-A party of sports near Boykins, Va., recently revived the former Va., recently revived the former well known pastime of "gauder pull-ing," which proved much of a novpresent.

Under officers' reports Mayor reonder omeers reports mayor reported \$15 in fines imposed, Sergeant's collections \$14, market receipts \$102, treasury balance \$39.60.

An extra allowance was given the

An extra allowance was given the overseer of the poor.

The committee on the reopening of Jackson street reported progress and was continued for further investigation. The ordinance was ordered to be amended so as to further restrict the use of fireworks. Owing to conditions of obstinacy, which have arisen resulting in the refusal of property owners to assist in paying for new pavements the

party, consisting of W. G. Fox and C. Bright, of Portsmouth, and B.G. C. Bright, of Portsmouth, and B.G. Butler, Wiley Kuight and W. L. Hubbard, of Suffolk, yesterday had a hunt, which resulted in the bagging of one rabbit, one turkey and forty-eight partridges. This beats the season's record for birds.

LAST YEAR'S CONVICTS. — There were thirteen criminals convicted and sentenced to the State Pourtey. in paying for new pavements the Street Committee was ordered to remove all pavements along property, the owners or agents of which refuse to pay their propor tionate part of the paving costs. Dr Wood was instructed to investi Wood was instructed to investi-gate the fire caused by a shingle roof on Ferguson's warehouse.
A committee was appointed to conyietion of petit larceny, two years; J. W. T. King, murder, eighteen years; E. W. Anderson, house breaking, four years; John Hill, forgery, seven years; Eddie Mason, fer with a Committee of the Christian Church relative to the removal of bodies from Willow Hill to Cedar

Hill Cemetery.

The Committee on Finance made an encouraging report, among other matters stating that \$8,000 had been recently expended from tax levies on permanent improvements. The report showed all finances of the town to be in excellent condition.

Mr. Lee Britt, in pursuance of the

bousebreaking, two years; Jim Vestry, alias Jim Watson, maiming, the years; Esau Robinson, maiming, ten years, The clerk of court informs us that Henry Tynes is the cancus resolution, was nominated by and elected unarimously.

BIRMINGHAM'S PROSPERITY. jurors were drawn for the next term ot Nansemond County Court, be-ginning January 14th: Grand Jurors-George W Truitt, Robert F Harrell, Julius T Rawles, Important Meeting of the Com-

By Southern Associated Press.

BIRMINOHAM, Ala., January 1.— At a meeting of the Commercial Club of Birmingham held this afternoon evidence was given of in-augurating a year of active energies with practical results. Efforts have been made heretofore to secure the location of cotton mills in Birmingham, but without success. At the meeting this afternoon B. B. Comer, one of Birmingham's most progressive citizens, announced his willingness to head a cotton mill company. when several of the directors of the olub rgreed to go in with him, and it can now be said that Birmingham will build a mill with home capital

The club slso passed a resolution inviting Gol. A. K. McClure, of the Philadelphia Times, to deliver an address before it in the near future. A further resolution was passed declaring for faster mail service be tween this city and the cities of the East and West, and requesting the Alabama Senators and tives in Congress to favor such a movement.

Euribquake shocks. Rome, January 4.—Earthquakes

have been feit repeatedly to-day in Reggio Di Calabria and in Sicily. The under Secretary of the Interior orable comment.
SHOT IN THE DARK.—Mr. William H. Taylor, who attends the signal house near the office of the Virginia will make a tour of the provinces affected and will provide for the dis-Manufacturing Company, was shot near the eye about 5 o'clock yestertribution of money, food and clothes among the homeless. The charity ball held here last evening for the day morning, the wound being of a ball held here last e very painful character. He left the benefit of the sufferer signal house at the time named and by many Americans, benefit of the sufferers was attended

HIGHEST OF HIGH GRADES. 1895 Styles Just Received.

> \$75.00 to \$85.00. CALL AND SEE THE BEAUTIES.

W. N. WHITE,

No. 108 HIGH ST. - - PORTSMOUTH, VA.

FOR LENT. — NO. 106 LONDON street, eight large rooms, front and back porches, large half, city water, pantry, nice closets, fire place heater and grates and double vart. This property has just been painted and papered throughout and is in first-class condition. Is only two minutes from the market. Rent 23 per mount for ammulaterant. Possession immediately.

JNO. L. WATSON, Portsmouth, Va.

Gents Underwear for \$1 per suit.

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try, nice closets, fire place heater and grates and double vari. This property has just been painted and papered throughout and is in first-class condition. Is only two minutes from the ferry and five minutes from the market. Rent \$23 per mouth to annual tenant. Possession immediately.

The helifiers are over, and now we are offering goods CHEAPER than ever before. We are receiving a new line of Hossiery, Mens, Ladies' and Chil r. n's, direct, from FACTORY. Call and see them, as we will certainly save you the jobber's profit.

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We are selling 36-inch Mixed Dress Goods (lovely styles) worth 2c and 371c.

Soods (lovely styles) worth 2c and 3rie.

Mixed Dress Goods, worth 50c and 3rie.

Mixed Dress Goods, worth 50c and 8ft. All Fan y Mixed Dress Goods, worth 50c and 8ft. All Fan y Mixed Dress Goods, worth 50c and 8ft. Fan y Mixed

W. C. NASH.

Brandt Building, 110 High street.

DAVENPORT & BELL.

THE COCKADE CITY.

Many Matters to Interest Petersburgers in Norfolk. Special Dispatch to The Virginian.

PETERSBURG, Va., January 4.-The nases of the Commonwealth vs. A. S. Ounbar, A. H. Sullivan and Cooperrewry, charged with trespassing on the premises of Prof. Arthur Kyle Davis, principal of the South ern Female College, and Messrs. E. R. McCabe, D. Potts, A. S. Dunbar, S. E. McPheeters, J. A. Thornley and N. T. Robinson, charged with assaulting Prof. Davis on Sycamore street some days ago, were called for ases of the Commonwealth vs. A. S street some days ago, were called for examination in the Mayor's Court this morning. Mr. R. B. Davis appeared as counsel for Prof. Davis and Mr. Alexander Hamilton representations of the department.

**All the was caught in the act of opening decoy can long dec sented the parties accused.

When the cases were called Mr. Hamilton stated that his clients had made all proper apology to Prof. Davis and he asked that the cases be dismissed. The parties, who are all students of the University School, of which Col. McCabe is headwarter were discharated by is headmaster, were discharged by the Mayor on the payment of costs. Mr. Charles S. Slaughter offered for sale to-day in front of the Court house the real estate in the city of Petersburg on which the delinquent taxes had not been paid. There were no bidders and the property

was knocked out to the State.

It is said that the bones which were dug up at New Dunlop's, in

Chesterfield county, yesterday were not those of soldiers. City Engineer John W. Hayes says he expects to have the water turned on from the new service res ervoir for the use of consumers within the next ten days. The work on the reservoir has been greatly retarded by reason of the weather.

At the meeting of A. P. Hill Camp of Confederate Veteraus held last night a committee was appointed to make arrangements for a proper observance of General Lee's birthday, on the 19th instant. The camp will have a parade in the af-ternoon and a supper at night,

During the late cold snap Mr. P. J. Trice, the wide-awake farmer at the State Central Hospital, had harvested and housed for the use of the hospital 325 tons of good ice.

Rev. H. W. Battle, D. D., pastor of the First Baptist Church, will have for his subject on next Sunday night "The New Year, What Shail We Do With It?"

We Do With It?"
Judge J. M. Mullen, of the Hustings Court, to-day granted a charter of incorporation to the "Commercial Club." The incorporators are: Mesers. H P Stratton, A J Wingfield, W H Talley, G A Fittz, Charles Leonard, E H Blakeney, O G Hinton, R A Martin, Jr., and R T Meade. The capital stock of the company is not to be less than \$500 nor more than \$5,000 to be \$500 nor more than \$5,000, to be divided into shares of \$10 each.

The objects of the company are to "promote social intercourse and to "promote social intercourse and pleasure by maintaining reading rooms, pleasure rooms, etc." The officers for the first year are: President, H P Stratton; Vice-President, W H Talley; Secretary and Treasurer, O G Hinton; Board of Managers, H P Stratton, G S Fittz, E W Relicance C D Stagetter M C Lick Biakeney, C D Slaughter, M C Jackson and T B Underhill. The club has rented rooms on Bank street which are to be handsomely furnished.

Beath of Dr. Dashielle By Southern Associated Press. BALTIMORE, January 4.-- Rev. Ju-

lius M. Dashiell, D. D., rector of Severn Parish, Anne Arundel county, died at his residence near Mil-lersville, Md., last night of conges-tion of the lungs. Dr. Dashiell was 60 years old. For a number of years he was professor of ancient languages at St. John's College, Annapolis, In 1873 he married Miss Mary Boose, of Charlottesville, Va. Among his sons by his first wife is Lieut, Robt. Dashiell, of the navy.

A UCTION EVERY WEDNESDAY AND
SATURDAY NIGHTS.
All goods sent to be sold must be without limit, as everythin; offers; will be sold. Special sale every FRIDAY 10:30 o'clock. Special arrangements for delivery of goods cheap.

BOS and 310 Count street,
ja2-tf General Auctioneer.

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Physical Prints Program of the post office this morning by Inspectors Hooten and Gorman, while propring of mail for distributionalong his remailed by the repeated failure of leters to arrive at their destination. I med several hundred letters while

afterwards could on his person.
Stayher's method was to steal mail
from the boxes of other carriers, and for months every carrier in the office was under suspicion. Stayher admits having taken small sums of money at various times, in all, he



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